

Below are two typical recent requests.

(1) Dr. X asked for an estimate of how many frozen tissue specimens were available in the institutional bank. Could you query the following info:

- \* # of available frozen specimens in bank by diagnosis
- \* How many of these are attached to a patient consent?

(2) We received a request yesterday on the following: (from specimens procured since start of Tissue Procurement Service and available in the bank) 1. Number of Tumor Cases 2. Number of Tumor Specimens - count of individual units 3. Number of Normal Cases 4. Number of Normal Specimens, in the following groups:

- 1) # Patients with Consent (Y) who actually have specimen in the bank
  - # Patients with Consent (N) who have specimen in the bank
  - 2) # protocols purely for purposes of Tissue Banking
  - 3) # of protocols for therapeutic or other purposes + tissue banking
  - 4) # patients enrolled on protocols purely for tissue banking purpose
- (once we determine correct protocols for #3, this should be easy)